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THE WHEAT POOL
The drive for signatures to the Wheat Pool contracts is now well under way, and already a big proportion of the farmers have signed up.
The signing of the wheat pool contract is an action which means a great deal to the farmer, and on which he must do a lot of thinking, both before signing and after signing. The farmers of the Province have been for some years considering the adoption of a policy of cooperative marketing of wheat. They are in agreement with the principle, and the pool would probably have been in operation by now if it had not been for the attempt to secure a compulsory pool based on the belief that signatures could not be obtained for a voluntary pool in sufficient numbers to enable it to operate successfully.
However, the visit of Aaron Sapir to the Province crystallized the fact for the farmer that the pool was not a matter of a voluntary pool, and it now appears certain that the great majority of the farmers will sign.
Now that the drive has progressed as far as it has, the endeavor should be to make the ratio of those signing as close as 100 per cent. of the farmers of the province as is possible. With an eighty or ninety per cent. proportion of the wheat growers in the pool, its permanent board of management will be better men than if a smaller percentage comprised the pool, for the selection of capable men will be easier, and the men elected as the representatives will be sure of their backing. Also it will not pay competitive companies to endeavor to break the pool to the same extent as with a large number staying outside.

The objections taken to the pool are on matters of detail. It is admitted by almost everyone, outside of some grain companies, that of efficiently market wheat, and to ensure that the price paid bears a relation to cost of production, some other method than the present one is necessary.
Under the system that has operated for the past twenty-five years, the farmer does not actually sell his wheat. He takes what is offered to him by a firm operating on a commission basis, and that firm turns it over to some other firm, the process continuing until it actually reaches the consumer.
Under the pool system, the farmer deals directly with the miller. The price he receives for his grain will, as before, be regulated by the law of supply and demand, but it will also depend on the manner in which the wheat is merchandised by the farmer through the officials he elects or appoints to the pool.
To get the pool under way, a provisional board of trustees was appointed by the Provincial Committee. These trustees will continue in office for three months, by which time trustees will have been elected by the vote of the signers of the contract. This is where the greatest caution will have to be exercised by the members. It will not be business to elect men whose chief qualifications are their oratorical power.
As has been said at the commencement of this article, the whole matter is one for the farmer. In organizing the pool, he is entering the field of big business. There is no reason why he should not do so successfully, if he exercises the same care in the appointment or election of his executives as big business does. Any help that can be tendered by the business men of the towns and cities will be gladly given for their interests are the same as the farmers, and the enhancement of the prosperity of Alberta through the well being of its population is the aim of all.

THE SCHOOL VOTE
The trustees of Strathmore School District decided some weeks ago to apply to the Board of Public Utilities for permission to borrow the sum of \$1500 to execute several improvements which were considered necessary in the interests of the children.
Objection was made by a number of ratepayers to this being done without a vote of the ratepayers who signed a petition asking for a vote, and as a consequence a vote will be taken on September 4th.
The School Board have proposed the expenditures in the interests of the health and well-being of the children, and they are therefore asking the ratepayers to be present at a meeting to be held tomorrow evening, at which the improvements will be explained, and at which only questions may be asked, or discussion initiated.
The Board came to their decision unanimously, and they feel that if those who vote on the subject on September 4th, will attend tomorrow's meeting, they will be able to convince them of the necessity of the improvements.

At the present time economy in every department is advisable, but economy gained at the expense of the well-being of the children is not defensible by any manner of reasoning. The amount proposed to be spent, spread over a term of ten years, and distributed over the district, is small, and it will be fully represented by assets.

NAMAKA NEWS

Two burglaries occurred in our city on Saturday night. At the hotel an entrance was effected through a window of the pool room, but there appears to be nothing of any value missing. Evidently not being satisfied with their findings at the hotel, the burglars broke a window in the east side of J. W. McDonald's store, from where some small things were taken. It would appear that they were disturbed in some way as there was around \$5.00 in change in the till which was overlooked.

Mrs. J. P. Lennie is in Calgary undergoing an operation, which we trust will be a success.

A cattle breeder, in here from Calgary last week succeeded in purchasing around 75 head.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Wheeler at Mrs. Hinchliff's Nursing Home last week.

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Bible thought ministered will prove a blessing to the soul after death.

A MORNING PRAYER—Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me—Psalm 51:10.

August 22
ADMIT THE MASTER—Beloved I stand at the door and knock; if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him and will sup with him and he will sup with me.

He that hath an ear let him hear what the Spirit saith—Rev. 2:20, 22.

August 23
PERSONAL SELF-EXAMINATION—He that hath no rule over his own spirit is like a city that is broken down, and without walls—Proverbs 25:28.

August 24
THE GOODNESS OF GOD—Thou openest thine hand, and satisfiest the desire of every living thing—Psalm 145:16.

August 25
CURSING OR BLESSING—Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departed from the Lord. Blessed is the man that trusteth in the Lord, and whose hope the Lord is—Jeremiah 17:5, 7.

August 26
CHOOSE YE—After that which is evil; cleave to that which is good—Romans 12:9.

August 27
THE JOYFUL REWARD—We done good and faithful servants: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy Lord—Matthew 25:23.

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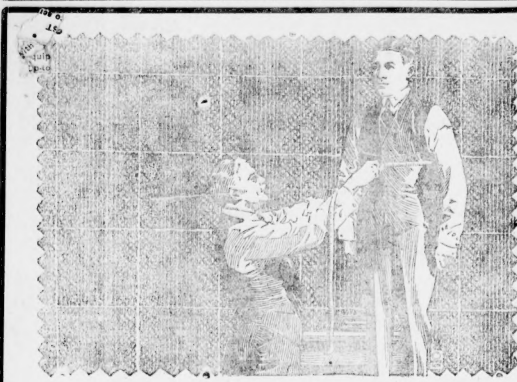
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Moderation Committee Organized

Addresses by R. A. Barker, and F. C. Potts.

Last Tuesday evening a well-attended meeting of those in sympathy with the Moderation League campaign was held in the Memorial Hall. Besides local men, there were present a number of representatives from outside communities, including several ladies.

Mr. Barker made an interesting and convincing address, in the course of which he said that the Moderationists were anxious to promote the cause of true temperance, and that this was the reason why they were endeavoring to get a change for the present liquor act, which, though passed with the best of intentions, had entirely failed in its purpose. The Moderation League was set to better moral and social conditions in the province.

The present system had not prevented intemperance, but it had diverted the traffic in liquor from authorized to unauthorized channels. In this province they had for several years past had to face a liquor deficit, the Government having estimated a deficit of \$1,000,000 for this year. At the same time, one bootlegger in Calgary after fourteen months operations had amassed \$800,000 and taken it to Winnipeg. These revenues should go to the province.

Women and children suffered more from the abuse of liquor than any other class, and they were suffering now.

Mr. Barker gave an amusing illustration of the absurdity of the present law. For instance, it was not a crime to drink beer with a percentage of two per cent, but it was a crime to drink beer of four per cent, strength. At the same time, the person who drank two bottles of two per cent beer had as much alcohol in his system as the man who drank one bottle of four per cent. The latter was in the eyes of the law a criminal, while the former was not. The Moderationists were opposed to the return of the bar, and they had stated so clearly and unequivocally. They were content to leave the method under which the sale would be conducted to the provincial legislature. As a result of the system in Quebec, it was the most temperance province in Canada. There was a marked decrease in the amount of hard liquor by the residents of that province, and they were drunk less here. Over eighty per cent of the hard liquor sold in Quebec was to people from the States and in Ontario.

There had been a marked change in sentiment during the past few months in regard to this question. Some time ago many people were afraid to state openly that they wanted a change in the liquor system, but now they were coming out openly in favor, and at a meeting in Edmonton the previous week, the chairmen of Education School Board, and other prominent bodies of the city had occupied the platform and intimated their support of the cause of moderation and government control. If the church congregations of the city of Calgary were in favor of the Moderation League and Government control.

Mr. F. C. Potts also gave a short address, in which he drew attention to the demoralization of large numbers of the younger people by the present system, in which liquor was being taken to dance and to restaurants and practically everywhere where the younger people congregated for entertainment.

Delegates from a number of country clubs stated that they had made good progress with their canvases, one delegate reporting that everyone in his district, with the exception of two parties, whom he hoped to get yet, had expressed their intention of voting for Cause "D".

A hearty vote of thanks was passed Messrs Barker and Potts for their addresses. The names of officers of the local committee of the Moderation League were published in last issue of the Standard.

Alberta, young as it is, has several big things to its credit. One of the finest examples of co-operative effort is the Municipal Hall. The scheme, which has been operating successfully for several years past, and has proved a fine thing for the farmers in areas subject to hail. Under the scheme the machinery of rural municipal organization is taken advantage of to provide the necessary labor. At the end of the crop season the losses are totaled up, and each farmer who has insured himself with the Board is assessed an amount sufficient to cover losses, and pay administrative expenses.

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That is the farmers of Canada have lost a market of 80,000,000 bushels of grain, and the manufactured product is imported instead, and the country is poorer by \$28,000,000.

The Moderation League urges every one to put the figure "1" opposite question "D" on the Ballot, and to make their second choice "B", with "C" for third.

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PRINCE COMING SOON

The Prince of Wales will sail from England the first week in September to visit his ranch in Alberta, coming directly to this province as soon as possible. He will return home about the end of October. The Earl and Countess of Minto are also to spend some time on their ranch adjacent to that of the Prince.

Ardenode Notes

Harold Harlicks is amongst the lucky ones who successfully passed the grade eight examinations last June.

A wide-awake meeting of the U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Goudard, Sr., last Wednesday. A splendid paper was read by the Goudard on "Elements of Religion Being Taught in Our School." This was strengthened with an article read by Mrs. Horne and lastly by a few remarks by Rev. James.

The delegates, Mrs. E. C. Thompson and Miss May Goudard was congratulated upon the well prepared report from the U.F.W.A. District Association convention held at Tudor on August 11th. At the close of the meeting the house served a lunch which broke all records. No doubt in the future, invitations will be sent to the provincial police to attend, and there is every likelihood that it will check up the menu. Our next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Reynolds on Tuesday, August 21st, at 2:30 p.m. Not a "Phonograph School Fair" Open discussion, "Our U.F.W.A. Members in Parliament."

The canvases of the farmers of Alberta for the wheat pool is now well on its way to completion, and by the end of the week it will be known whether the necessary fifty per cent of the wheat acreage of the province has been signed up. This is the percentage necessary to render the pool operative.

If the pool goes through, and from the prevalent feeling of the farmers, there is every likelihood that it will. Alberta will have the honor of initiating one of the greatest movements in history, the selling of wheat by the producer himself to the ultimate consumer. There are already some wheat pools doing business throughout the world, but for the most part they are on a small scale, or under Government auspices.

The C.P.R. are carrying out harvesters from Britain at a rate of ten per cent to August 11th. The C.P.R. Demonstration Farm at Strathmore has this year 40 acres of underfunders under cultivation. These will be ready for cutting, the work being done by corn binders.

NEVER MIND

Never mind, should men revise you. When you've stood for truth and right. Thus His chosen against the Ravine. For he came with life and light. But the truth he thus unfolded, Now is making mankind free, And the grace He freely offered Save for all eternity.

Never mind when friends tell you. When you're treated out of old. When they played the part of Judas. Bought with words, tainted gold. They will always be the losers. They have stained their souls in mire. You will always be the victor. Yours is gold tried in fire.

Never mind when spiritual slanders At your noble deeds is hurled. Or the falsehood that by gossip, Into eager ears is poured: When men strike in jealous anger, It will read their souls in tears. Let them bear it to their maker; Be your best with thought and tears.

Never stop to think of vengeance, For the God that reigns on high Will pronounce a righteous judgment In the coming day and bye. Struggle on against all evil. In this world you now may find, He will give you grace to conquer; Keep up courage—never mind.

E. C. CRAWLEY, Iriciana, Alta.

"D"

Prohibitionists and Moderationists are in hot debate over the possibilities of Cause "D". Prohibitionists declare that the passing of Cause "D" would enable any government to decide it, to permit the old bar. The Moderationists insist that the sale of Cause "D" is not to bring back the bar.

In it was both are correct, Cause "D" provides for the sale of beer—not hard liquor—in limited areas. It leaves to the legislature the regulation of the sale—where, how and when the beer shall be sold.

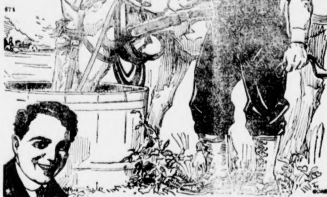
The Moderationists have already indicated, even when appearing before the legislative committee drafting the regulations, that they did not want the return of the bar, and included such a statement in the proposed bill, submitted at that time. The Alberta is quite confident that if "D" passes, this government and the legislature, will do their utmost to have conditions as different as possible from the old days of the bar. It doubts after the repeated statements of Moderationists, if a government or legislature would care to permit what we generally regard as the old bar system.

Cause "D" permits the sale of beer in licensed places. There may be a difference between the former method of selling it to men standing up at the bar and the proposed method of selling it to men sitting down at a table.

Grocery Department

Green Plum Raisins, 5 lb. pkts.	50
Mistland Prunes 50	
60's, 5 lbs.	75c
Green Plum Prunes, 5 lbs.	90c
Choice, practically peeled Peaches, 2 pounds	35c
Dried Pears, lb.	15c
Dried Apricots, lb.	20c
5 pounds	90c
Evaporated Apples, 3 lb. pkts.	65c
Schepers Coconut, shredded or desiccated, per lb.	30c
Dutch Coco, in bulk, 2 pounds	35c
Choice, re-cleaned Currants, lb.	20c
No. 1 Fancy Ashcroft Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Kotomashi Beans, 4 pounds	25c
No. 1 Jap Rice, 3 lbs. for	25c
Siam Rice, 7 lbs.	50c
Extra fine Salt, in 1/2 lb. pkts.	5c
Benson's Golden Syrup, 5 lbs.	85c
10 lbs.	\$1.10
Corn Syrup, 5 lbs.	50c
10 lbs.	90c
Lily White or Crystal White Syrup, 5 lbs.	55c
Sugar Cane Molasses, No. 2, 2 lbs.	20c
Cream Olive Toilet Soap, 3 cakes	25c
Ivory Soap Flakes, 100 pcts. cert. pure, 3 lbs.	35c
Lids for Mason's self seal fruit jars—Narrow mouth, per dozen	20c
Wide mouth, per dozen	25c

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HARVEST HELP ARRIVING

Practically half of the number of harvest hands required in Alberta have now been received, and all placed on farms, according to the bureau of labor. During the week end about 1,400 more arrived in the province, and

are being placed this week. Two more excursions from the East, one on the 21st, and the other on the 25th, will bring a large number. Manitoba is now through its harvesting season, and those harvest hands now arriving from the East will come to Alberta and Saskatchewan.

NEXT WEEK WITH THE CHURCHES

Sunday, August 26th, 1923

NAMAKA—Bible study at 11 o'clock. Chorus for all. Subject "Harkness the Great Healer." H. A. Dwyer, Supr.

After the Bible study, a sermon on Mark 12:12.

CHEADLE—Combined service beginning at 2:30 p.m. All Cheadle people invited to take part in the fine Cheadle Sabbath School. Short sermon afterwards.

HERVEY—Public worship at 2:30 p.m. STRATHMORE—Bible School at 11 a.m. Ten classes well led, good adult class. W. G. Way, Supr.

Public Worship at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Howe will preach on "Watchmen."

ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS CHURCH

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion, Strathmore.

11 a.m.—Carols.

7:30 p.m.—Strathmore. Anthem by the choir.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

1st Sunday of month, Mass at Carleton Place 9 a.m. Strathmore 11 a.m. 2nd Sunday of month, Mass at Carleton Place 9 a.m. Strathmore 11 a.m.

Rev. J. E. DUGGAN, Pastor

Wheat growers of the American Northwest have asked the Government to buy their wheat at a rate of \$1.50 to \$1.75 per bushel. Last year the growers asked for a tariff of 50c per bushel on imported wheat, thinking that this would boost the home price, but though this tariff was imposed, wheat this year is as low in price as the States as it is in Canada.

GRAIN PRICES

August 14th, 1923

The following grain prices are for grain by wagonload at carmen's net prices, and for information of the public only. Figures are kindly supplied by Mr. F. H. Eves, of the Regina Food Elevator.

Wheat

No. 1 **52**

No. 2 **50**

No. 3 **48**

Oats

2 C.W. **29**

2 C.W. **28**

Flax

No. 1 **1.60**

No. 2 **1.58**

Barley

No. 1 **35**

No. 2 **33**

Rye

No. 1 C.W. **45**

No. 2 C.W. **41**

Weather Report

Supplied by C. P. Irrigation Dept.

Date Min. Max. Precip. Altitude

August 14th to 20th, 1923.

14 52.2 76.2

15 55.2 75.8

16 45.2 80.3

17 50.2 83.0

18 53.2 79.0

19 51.2 69.8

20 53.2 69.8

ODDFELLOWS INSTALL OFFICERS

Strathmore Lodge 1009, held their semi-annual installation of officers last Thursday in their lodge room. The ceremony was performed by Bro. R. A. Brown, D.D.G.M., who was assisted by ten members from Gleichen. The following are the officers installed for the forthcoming year:

Bro. R. A. Brown, D.D.G.M.

V. G.—Bro. H. Harner.

Rec.—Bro. S. E. Kerek.

Treas.—Bro. Chas. Keeling.

Com.—Bro. E. Davis.

I. G.—Bro. Stanley Kerek.

After the ceremony supper was served, and a number of interesting talks given, the proceedings closing about midnight.

SUCCESSFUL GARDEN PARTY

The garden party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jones, under the auspices of the ladies aid, of the Union church, last Thursday evening, was held under most favorable conditions: the lawn was decorated with flags, lanterns, and the booths for ice cream, lemonade, and candy did a thriving business all evening, and the tables were well patronized. The assistance of Strathmore band went far towards making this a successful evening.

For the past two years the aid has raised the sum of \$575 for the aid. The next regular meeting of the aid will be held at the home of Mrs. S. Jones on Thursday next at 7 p.m., with Mrs. Lena Dewitt assisting.

Hervey News

The Hervey district seems to show signs of prosperity, as Mr. John Kent has secured a bright shining Ford, as well as a Chevrolet; also Mr. H. Conda drove a new Ford down from Calgary on Saturday. Mr. Conda makes some very fancy circles, but gets there just the same.

The heavy rains on Sunday will delay cutting.

Mr. Russell Tate was called to Strathmore, on Friday last, on account of the death of his father. Word was received a few days prior that his father was improving, but later was suddenly taken worse, and passed away on Friday morning. The family have the sympathy of the neighbors in their sad bereavement.

In the Calgary Herald, under date of August 4th, we see a big headline, "John McFarland Backs Wheat Pool." Later we note John McFarland backs out, but which way he backs, we want the pool, and are now on the job. There are plenty of good heads to handle the pool if one certain man don't want the job. There's always good fish in the sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bodeaux, and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Treach, and Miss Emily Schuffelers motored out from Calgary Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Shober.

NEW PICTURE

FILLS DEMAND FOR ROMANCE

"Give us real romance!" That is the cry reported from theatre patrons by showmen in the past few days. The fascination of red-blooded, wholesome love and adventure is eternally popular. And all such romances need not be in foreign countries.

Richard Harding Davis proved that adventurous romance might be right at home when he wrote "The Scarlet Card," the Universal film which comes to the Memorial Hall next Saturday.

With this popular romantic story behind him, Universal selected an actor best known for his characterizations in such vehicles, as the star—Herbert Rawlinson.

Stuart Paxon, who directed such romantic plays as "One Wonderful Night," and others, was selected to guide the production.

An author equally famous with Davis, George Randolph Chester, also best known for romantic stories, was chosen to write the scenario.

All this in an effort to hearken to the cry of motion picture lovers for real romance.

Rawlinson is supported by Claire Adams, Edward Cecil, Norris Johnson, Tom McGuire, Max Robbins and Tom O'Brien.

VISITORS TO PROVINCE

Visitors to the publicity bureau at the government buildings during the week included Mr. C. Hanbury-Williams, of Montreal, Journalist, who is writing a series of articles on the West for British and Canadian papers; Thornton Smith, news editor of the Wisconsin Agriculturist of Racine, Wis., and Conrad F. Wright, of St. Paul, Minn., editor of the "Western Farmer" of the United States.

Local Bittings

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Readers are requested to place in items for this column not later than 12 o'clock Monday noon preceding day of publication. All local news items are welcomed by the Standard. Phone 17 or 68

Harvest time again.

Have you signed the wheat pool contract yet?

Birth—To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wheeler, Nanika, at Mrs. Hinchell's Nursing Home, on August 16th, a son.

Mrs. Watson's daughter, Phyllis, of Calgary, have been visiting with Mrs. S. Hyde for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams arrived back on Sunday from a visit to Medicine Hat. Mrs. Williams has been at the Hat for the past month, while Mr. Williams is a good week's golf.

Mr. W. L. Morgan, an old-timer of Strathmore district, arrived here last week, and will remain for the harvest. For the past two years he has been located west of Edmonton.

Dr. and Mrs. Goulton, of Brandon, Manitoba, spent some days last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. H. Lambert. Dr. Goulton has been for twenty years past in Winnipeg, and has come from the city of Wash, which is also the birthplace of Mr. Lambert.

Mr. B. Stangler is at present on a two-month visit to her son, Fred. Mr. Stangler was located in the district up till 1917, since when she has been living in the States.

Mr. Vernon Crawford, at present on a two-week's holiday with his parents.

There will be no services held at the Anglican Church on Sunday, August 26th, 1923.

Dr. L. G. Robinson, a graduate of McGill University, and an overseas man, has opened a dental office at Strathmore, in the Girvin Block. It is fitted with the latest requirements in up-to-date dentistry. Dr. Robinson intended to have started up here a couple of months ago, but had the hard luck to be taken sick shortly after arriving and had to go to the hospital.

We understand that several Ardeno farmers were customers of the Home Bank, which closed its doors the other day.

Mr. J. H. Wade and Mrs. Wade, of Waterville, are on a visit to Strathmore as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Eves. They are former residents of this district.

Mr. Walter Schultz, of Wayne, was visiting his brother John's last week.

Mr. Whitney, principal of Strathmore School, with Mrs. Whitney and family, arrived back from Inland, where they have been spending the holidays, on Monday.

Mrs. Helen Watson, Macleod, is spending a week's holiday with her sister, Mrs. Margaret Watson, of the Union Bank staff.

OBITUARY

We regret to report the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wright, Sidney Underwood, at age 4, on Monday.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the residence of the parents and family. They are relatives of the deceased.

GRADE VIII EXAM. RES. TS

The grade VIII results for the province show about 2400 successful candidates out of the 6000 who wrote the exam.

The names of those who passed from Strathmore school are given below:

Archie Gray, Margaret Butler, Sally Wright, Joe Voerman, Ralph Martin, Nora Chamberlain.

AUCTION SALE

An auction sale of machinery, the property of M. D. Bow Valley, was held on Saturday afternoon at Strathmore. A fair-sized crowd attended, but on the two tractor engines there was no bidding, and these were consequently withdrawn.

A number of other items, including rock cars, wagons, water tank, tents, etc., were sold at fair prices.

The sale is organized by the Municipality having abandoned the use of tractors for road work, and doing the work by horse power. The equipment has not been used for several years.

Wright is collecting data for the new edition of Standard Field Notes, and has secured a mass of statistics on Alberta crops since the formation of the province.

Visitors the coming week will include Mr. Wright, A. Patterson, editor-in-chief of the "Western Newspaper" of the United States.

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Fred H. Hunter, Editor, Phones 7 & 25, Rockyford

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That it pays to be known as a live business man, they are judged by their advertising.

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CONVENTIONS IN ALBERTA

Conventions which are to be held in Alberta during the next month or so include the national telephone convention in Edmonton the last week in August, the convention of sanitary engineers of Canada in Calgary September 5th to 7th, the Canadian brotherhood of trainmen in Calgary September 17 and 18, and the general synod of the Anglican Church of Canada in Calgary September 16th to 25th.

Harvesting is now pretty well started, and is a bumper crop to handle. A good deal of grain has fallen down on account of rains, which is going to hamper cutting operations considerably.

Mr. T. A. Weiss is very seriously ill in the hospital in Calgary. We sincerely hope for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Joe Crough's children are also in the hospital sick. We all seem to get trouble anyway at some time or other to let us know life is not all sunshine.

Wheat Pool Committee Debate at Rockyford

Rockyford farmers are probably in possession of more firsthand information regarding the wheat pool than any other body of agriculturists throughout the Province, as a result of the meeting called for Saturday evening in the McCreas' Hall to make the arrangements for the drive.

The Rockyford members of the pool, Messrs. who appeared, along with Mr. O. N. Gilbert and Mr. McFarland, was present with Mr. Gilbert, and as a result of a call to Mr. Gilbert, secretary of the committee, Mr. C. O. Smith, the newspaper member of the committee was present to present the case for the committee. The proceedings therefore took the form of a lively debate.

Mr. E. W. Post called the meeting to order, and Mr. C. R. Whitford, Mayor of the Village, was appointed chairman, and R. J. Dornan, of the Bank of Commerce, secretary. Toler and Bell were both anticipating an interesting time at Rockyford, held their organization meeting early in the evening and hurried over to Rockyford, so that McCreas' large hall had a crowd of eager listeners for all the information they could get on the most vital and important issue that, perhaps, agricultural interests have ever had to deal with.

A synopsis of the contract was read by Mr. H. Leonard and after a general discussion Mr. O. N. Gilbert was able to address the meeting and give his reasons for rejecting the pool committee. Mr. Gilbert was very eloquent and did not make a pronounced attempt to discourage the signing of the contract, further that it pointed reasons for rejecting, and making plain that he did not intend to sign the agreement himself.

Mr. Gilbert was asked quite a number of questions by the meeting and then sat down. Someone in the audience then announced that Mr. C. O. Smith had arrived, and would like to address the meeting. Mr. Smith had just arrived in time to hear most of Mr. Gilbert's address, and apparently took note of what he said, but Mr. Smith dealt with each point brought out by Mr. Gilbert and the address of Mr. Smith was as well as that of Mr. Gilbert, was interesting and full of information, especially interesting when it came time to ask Mr. Smith questions. Mr. Gilbert held his own pretty well, and came back with reason for his and Mr. Dornan's action in rejecting. After this part of the meeting was over, Mr. Leonard, who is well known around Rockyford, and who happened to be delayed here was called on for an address. Mr. Leonard did make a very interesting talk, but was pretty reserved in his remarks, and seemed to be in a hurry to get away. He was very shy in making questions, and if he was had a few more against a handful of them, he would have had better put some study on it, or they will be apt to get him tangled up.

Mr. Leonard and Mr. Watt each addressed the meeting, briefly but to the point, then the meeting adjourned, but whether the pool goes over or not the meeting will not seem to forget.

Rockyford Locals

The Rockyford district being unable to do any organizing during the last called a meeting Monday evening and it was pretty well attended and several volunteered to assist in getting the contracts out to the farmers.

A dance in McCreas' hall was given on Wednesday evening last, the occasion of the arrival home of Dr. and Mrs. Tiffin. There was a nice gathering, and everyone had a most enjoyable evening. After supper Mr. James Black, Manager of the Bank of Commerce, acting as toast master called on several of the people for addresses. Mr. W. T. Coughlin was somewhat of a ladies' man, and we kind of took it with a grain of salt, but he would, from time to time, when Mr. Coughlin said anything, don't be too ready to call his hand, for he is surely apt to deliver the goods. Several other very interesting remarks of welcome to Mrs. Tiffin to Rockyford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Truham and daughters, Nellie and Margaret were visitors from Calgary Saturday.

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Rosebud News

The Ladies Aid met in the church Thursday past. They have decided to have a shorter supper in the future, the date to be decided later. It is sincerely hoped people will be generous with their contributions, and a large crowd will be there with appetites for the cause is most worthy.

Miss Ruth and Margaret Goe were visitors at the Comstock's recently.

Mrs. W. E. Hays entertained the ladies who are working on the well-known quilt on Friday. The ladies had the pleasure of listening to Ruth Jean Gilbert, who gave some very nice selections on the piano. It seems now wonderful when we know that Jean is not yet six years old. She also played a duet with her little brother, age four, and two older brothers entertained with music and recitation. Miss Goe also helped to make the sewing more pleasant by some very fine selections on the piano. A delightful lunch was served. Among those attending were Mrs. D. W. DeWitt and child, Mrs. Arthur Kline and children, Mrs. Herbert Gilbert and children, from Calgary; Miss Groat, of New York; Mrs. DeWitt, Mrs. R. S. and daughter, Mrs. D. H. DeWitt, Mrs. A. Weston, Mrs. J. C. Bus, and son, Mrs. Summers, Mrs. H. C. Barr, Mrs. J. W. McCallum, and daughter, Mrs. E. W. Brunner, Mrs. A. Vign, and Mrs. C. H. Comstock. The quilt is nearly finished, and it is hoped one more meeting will be the end of it.

L. W. Comstock was a business visitor in Calgary last week.

Harold Nicholson has accepted a position as engineer for O. N. Gilbert on his threshing outfit in Bassano.

Charles Forbes and family, have arrived from Seattle, Wash., for the harvesting and threshing season.

Bennie Forbes finished grade XII this year, having taken grades VI and XII in one year.

Miss Irene Leaphon, who has been visiting Mrs. George Kring for several weeks has returned to her home in Seattle, Wash., stopping over in Victoria, B.C.

Cutting is very general around this district. Mr. Popham's cars are being cut, and the stocks make a nice show.

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Answers To Questions On Wheat Pool

Q. In the event of the required number of contracts not being signed, will the pool come into operation?

A. If the required number have not been obtained by September 8th, no members will have until September 22nd to cancel their contract. It will be the duty of the Trustees to decide whether they think there are sufficient members left to justify them in having a pool this year.

Q. Does the contract cover all the wheat that is raised by the signer?

A. He is allowed to retain all the wheat that he requires for seed and feed. The balance must be sold through the pool.

Q. Can the pool state where and when the wheat shall be delivered?

A. Yes. The Association will deliver of wheat whenever possible at the shipper's most convenient delivery point.

Q. Is registered seed wheat included in the terms of the contract?

A. No. Registered seed wheat is exempt.

Q. Can a member sell any wheat to a neighbor?

A. Yes. He may sell wheat to his neighbor for seed and feed after a permit has been obtained from the Association, provided said neighbor is a member of the pool.

Q. How will the Association get out to the grain?

A. The members will sign for cars in the car order book when requested to do so by the Association.

Q. How will the Association estimate the wheat that will be for sale each year?

A. Each member will be required to sign on an account of the average and an estimate of the crop.

Q. What does the liquidated damages clause mean?

A. It means that the members failing to deliver his wheat or selling it through any other channel than the pool, he will have to pay \$25 a bushel damages. This is to compensate the other members of the Association for the loss sustained through one member failing to keep his agreement.

Q. Can a mortgage be placed on the wheat that is signed up to the pool?

A. Yes. The member will be required to notify the Association when he places said mortgage and the Association can then make arrangements to look after it.

Q. What about the crops that are already mortgaged?

A. A list of these must be made at the end of the contract. This wheat is exempt but the Association may make arrangements to take delivery and to pay off the debt from the proceeds.

Q. How much can the Association take out for reserve?

A. Up to, and not more than one per cent.

ALBERTA'S DEATH RATE

Statistics issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics give the death rates for each province of the dominion as follows:

Infant death rate—Prince Edward Island 95.7, Nova Scotia, 123.2, New Brunswick, 142.4, Ontario, 115, Manitoba, 115.4, Alberta, 27.5, British Columbia 27.9, the percentage being based on 1000 living births. Death rate per 1000 of population—Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Ontario 13, Manitoba 7, Saskatchewan 6, Alberta 4, British Columbia 4. This shows that the death rate in Alberta and Saskatchewan is the lowest in all Canada.

